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Berry's for Clothes... SPRING HATS... And here is the time and place to see a new model of the correct styles in New York and London.

WAR OF DISEASE SHOWS PROGRESS

Diphtheria, Consumption and Malaria Give Way to Attacks of Science.

Annual Health Report Comprehensive and Valuable Statistics Are Prepared by City Department.

What is regarded by many as the most comprehensive study of health conditions in Richmond ever published is embraced in the annual report of the City Board of Health...

Improvement of Milk. Steady improvement has been made in the quality of the milk supply, the statement being made that with very few exceptions the worst places now selling milk in Richmond are in better condition and follow better methods...

Diphtheria Conquered. There were only four deaths from diphtheria in Richmond during 1908, the smallest number of deaths and decidedly the lowest death rate...

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Constipation and Its Causes

A Well-Known Remedy. Constipation is man's worst enemy, and half the bodily ills are a result thereof.

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Large crowds attended the performance given at the moving picture theatre yesterday afternoon and last night by the firemen of the city for the benefit of the fireman's relief fund.

Excels' Trip Postponed. Because of the impossibility of obtaining a hall large enough to accommodate the members of both parties, Manchester Aeris of Eagles No. 1382, has decided to postpone their proposed trip to Petersburg on the night of March 25 as the guest of the Petersburg Aeris.

May's Court. James Scott, Harry Rebus and R. E. Scotchfield, all colored, were before Mayor Johnson yesterday with disorderly conduct and fighting in the street, and in default of a fine of \$1 each were committed to jail.

Large Crowd at Weatherford. A large crowd greeted Prof. Maurice, of this city, father of the weatherford, at the annual meeting of the Weatherford Club, which was held at the club house yesterday afternoon.

Sharp Acquitted, Coopers Are Held. Again joint debates were arranged, and again the feeling between the factions grew very bitter. In these debates Cooper charged that the other side were doing business in options on bonds which do not intend and require the delivery of the article sold or bought at the time called for in the contract.

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HARMFUL DEIGNS AT BOARD MEETING

J. M. Barker Elected to Succeed Late President, John W. Churchman, Without Opposition.

CONFIRM APPOINTMENTS Action of Commissioner in Naming John A. Lester Fertilizer Inspector Is Approved.

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Deck Load Jettisoned. LONDON, March 19.—The British steamer Whistler, from Charleston and Pensacola via Norfolk for Harlingen and Tyne, before reported ashore at Ireland Island, has jettisoned a portion of her deck load.

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Our Guarantee. Get a dollar bottle of Kodol. If you are not benefited—the doctor will not be either—return your money. Don't hesitate any longer to get a bottle of Kodol. The dollar bottle costs 25 cents as much as the 50c bottle. Kodol is prepared in the laboratory of Dr. J. C. Williams, Chicago.

News of the Southside. Manchester Bureau, Times-Dispatch, No. 1102 Hull Street. In Squire Cheatham's court at Oak Grove yesterday morning, W. A. Tucker, of Petersburg, was fined \$50 and sentenced to the roads for thirty days on the charge of cruelty to animals.

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O. H. Berry & Co. MEN'S BOYS' OUTFITTERS. To preside over the post during the year it is rumored that an ex-president will be the choice of the committee appointed several weeks ago to recommend officers to fill the several positions.

Excitement at Doswell. Strange Italian Thus Amuck and Is Shot by Mr. Holmes. [Special to the Times-Dispatch.] DOSWELL, VA., March 19.—An unknown Italian created considerable excitement here Monday, when he was taken to the hospital for incurable cases of consumption, for which the Finance Committee failed to make any provision in the annual budget.

Quietly Hanged. West Virginia Mob Disposes of Shooter of Chief of Police. [Special to the Times-Dispatch.] ELKINS, W. VA., March 19.—Joseph Brown, who last evening shot and seriously wounded Chief of Police Scott White, at Whitton, by a crowd of men at 1:30 o'clock this morning and lynched. Brown was hanged upon a telegraph pole.

C. & O. Wins Case. Suit for \$3,750,000 Is Decided Against McKell Estate. [Special to the Times-Dispatch.] CINCINNATI, March 19.—Upon instructions by United States Judge Sawyer, the U. S. District Court today returned a verdict for the McKell estate in the case of the McKell estate against the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad in an action to obtain \$3,750,000 on an alleged contract.

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